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RE:

Local Tariff for Global Crossing Local Services, Inc.

South Carolina Tariff No. 1

Dear Mr. Terreni:

Enclosed for filing please find the original copy of the revised pages for the Local Tariff submitted on behalf of Global Crossing Local Services, Inc. The purpose of this revision is to add Vanity Number, Hunting, and Expedite Change Charge; add new rates for T1 services; change DID number rate structure; and increase Directory Listings, Directory Assistance, Service Change Charge, Busy Line Verification, and Busy Line Verification with Interrupt. The Company respectfully requests this revised tariff to become effective on March 1, 2009.

This filing increases the maximum Non-Published Monthly Recurring Charge (MRC) rate from \$3.00 to \$6.00, Non-Listed MRC rate from \$2.00 to \$5.00 and the Service Change Charge MRC maximum rate from \$30.00 to \$60.00. This filing also increases the current Non-Published MRC rate from \$1.05 to \$4.00, Non-Listed MRC rate from \$0.70 to \$2.20 and the Service Change Charge MRC rate from \$15.00 to \$40.00. The maximum rate increase is not a general rate increase and does not impact the general body of ratepayers.

Included with this filing are the Notice of Filing and the Company's customer notice that has been sent to customers 30 days prior to the rate increase.

The following pages are included with this filing:

3 <sup>rd</sup> Revised Page 6	Updates Check Sheet
1 <sup>st</sup> Revised Page 57	Text change to Local Digital Service and reformats rate structure
1st Revised Page 59	Reformats rate structure for DID Numbers
1st Revised Page 60	Increases Maximum rate for Monthly Recurring Charge for Non-
	Published and Non-Listed rates
1 <sup>st</sup> Revised Page 64	Increases Service Change Charge Maximum rate
Original Page 64.1	Adds Vanity Number, Hunting and Expedite Charge maximum
	rates

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2<sup>nd</sup> Revised Page 66 Adds new current rates to Local Digital Service for ½ T1 and Full T1; reformats
DID Number current rates

1<sup>st</sup> Revised Page 67 Increases Directory Listing current rates; increases Directory Assistance and
Directory Assistance Call Completion current rates

1<sup>st</sup> Revised Page 68 Increases Busy Line Verification and Busy Line Verification w/Interrupt; increases

Service Change Charge
Original Page 70 Adds Vanity Number, Hunting and Expedite Charge current rates

Please acknowledge receipt of this filing by returning, date-stamped, the extra copy of this cover letter in the stamped self-addressed envelope, which is provided for that purpose. Any questions you may have regarding this filing may be directed to me at 407-740-3002 or via email to cwightman@tminc.com.

Sincerely,

Connie Wightman

Consultant to Global Crossing Local Services, Inc.

CW/rg

cc: D. Peters – Global Crossings

file: Global Crossings – SC Local

tms: SCI0901

Effective March 1, 2009, certain rates are changing for select local services/features. Rates may go up or go down and in some cases billing increments are changing as follows:

Directory Assistance Direct Dialed (\$1.25), Directory Assistance Call Completion (\$0.75).

Monthly Recurring Charges (MRCs) will be as follows:

**Directory Listings** 

Non-Listed Number (\$2.20), Non-Published Number (\$4.00),

Extra Line Listing, Additional Listing, Foreign Listing, Cross Reference Listing (\$1.15).

Nonrecurring Charges (NRCs) will be as follows: Service Order Charge (\$40.00).

The following Per Use feature charges will be as follows: Busy Line Verification (\$2.00), Busy Line Verification w/ Interrupt (\$4.00).

Any questions, contact your Customer Service rep.

# PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA COLUMBIA, SOUTH CAROLINA

### DOCKETING DEPARTMENT

### NOTICE OF FILING

Global Crossing Local Services, Inc. has filed a tariff revision, which the Company respectfully requests to become effective on March 1, 2009. This filing increases the maximum rates for the Non-Published, Non-Listed and Service Change Charges. The Company proposes to increase the Non-Published MRC maximum rate to \$6.00; Non-Listed MRC maximum rate to \$5.00; and the Service Change Charge MRC maximum rate to \$60.00. The Company plans to increase the current rate for Non-Published MRC rate from \$1.05 to \$4.00; Non-Listed MRC rate from \$0.70 to \$2.20; and the Service Change Charge MRC maximum rate from \$15.00 to \$40.00. The maximum rate revision is not a general rate increase and does not impact the general body of ratepayers.

A copy of the application is on file in the offices of the Public Service Commission of South Carolina, 101 Executive Center Drive, Columbia, South Carolina 29210 and is available from Connie Wightman, Consultant, Technologies Management, Inc., 2600 Maitland Center Pkwy., Suite 300, Maitland, FL. 32751.

A public hearing, if scheduled, will be held in Columbia, South Carolina in the offices of the Commission at the above address, for the purpose of receiving testimony and other evidence from all interested parties regarding this Application. The time and date of this hearing will be furnished to all interested parties at a later date.

later date.
Any person who wishes to participate in this matter, as a party of record with the right of cross examination should file a Petition to Intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure on or before and indicate the amount of time required for his presentation. Please refer to Docket No
Any person who wishes to testify and present evidence at the hearing, if scheduled, should notify the Docketing Department in writing at the address below and Connie Wightman, at the above address, on or before and indicate the amount of time required for his presentation.  Please refer to Docket No
Any person who wishes to be notified of the hearing, but does not wish to present testimony or be a party of record, may do so by notifying the Docketing Department in writing at the address below on or before Please refer to <b>Docket No.</b>
<b>PLEASE TAKE NOTICE:</b> Any person who wishes to have his or her comments considered as part of the official record of this proceeding <u>MUST</u> present such comments, in person, to the Commission during the hearing.
Persons seeking information about the Commission's Procedures should contact the Commission at (803 896-5100.
Public Service Commission of South Carolina Attn: Docketing Department South Carolina Public Service Commission Synergy Business Park, Saluda Bldg. 101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100 Columbia, SC 29210
Signature of Authorized Representative Date

Synergy Business Park, 101 Executive Center Drive, Columbia SC 29210; 803-896-5100, www.psc.sc.gov

### **CHECK SHEET**

The pages listed below, which are inclusive of this price list, are effective as of the date shown at the bottom of the respective page(s). Original and revised pages as named below comprise all changes from the original price list and are currently in effect as of the date at the bottom of this page.

Page No.	Revision	Page No.	Revision	Page No.	Revision	
1	Original	26	Original	51	Original	
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15	Original	40	Original	64.1	Original	*
16	Original	41	Original	65	1 <sup>st</sup> Rev.	
17	Original	42	Original	66	2 <sup>nd</sup> Rev.	*
18	Original	43	Original	67	1 <sup>st</sup> Rev.	*
19	Original	44	Original	68	1 <sup>st</sup> Rev.	*
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# 2 <u>Service Descriptions and Rates</u> (cont'd)

### 2.3 <u>Local Digital Service</u>

### 2.3.1 <u>Description</u>

The Company's Local Digital Service is provided to business Customers over access facilities at T-1 or higher capacity. Service is activated by purchasing ports (channels) at rates listed below. Additional channels may be purchased one channel at a time. Local Digital Service includes the standard feature of hunting and dual tone multi-frequency.



### 2.3.2 Rates

•	Maximum Monthly	Maximum Nonrecurring	<b>(T)</b>
	Recurring Charge	Charge	
Per channel	\$60.00	\$90.00	<b>(T)</b>
½ T1	\$400.00	\$1080.00	(N)
T1	\$700.00	\$2160.00	
			(N)

### 2.4 T-1

2.4.1 The T-1 is a twenty-four (24) channel circuit over which the Company's digital service is provided. Global Crossing passes the underlying carrier's T-1 charge(s) through to its Local Digital Service Customers. (T)

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#### 2 Service Descriptions and Rates (cont'd)

#### 2.7 DID Numbers

#### 2.7.1 Description

- A. Blocks of number groups will be determined at the sole discretion of the Company's resources. Whenever possible, the Company will attempt to provide telephone numbers arranged consecutively in a group, but will not guarantee nor accept responsibility for provision of such an arrangement within or between a block of numbers. In addition, the Company reserves the right to review vacant DID stations or stations not in use, to determine efficient number utilization. Should the Company determine, based on its own discretion, that there is inefficient number utilization, the Company may reassign the DID numbers.
- В. The Customer has no property rights to the telephone number or any other call number destination associated with DID service furnished by the Company. The Company reserves the right to change such numbers assigned to the Customer whenever the Company deems it necessary to do so in the conduct of its business.
- C. Where all numbers in a group have not been connected for service. the Customer is responsible for providing interception of calls to vacant or non-working assigned station lines of such telephone numbers by means of attendant intercept or recorded announcement service. The Company will not terminate these numbers to an intercept message on the Customer's behalf.

### 2.7.2 Rates

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Maximum Nonrecurring Charge Monthly Recurring Charge \$2.00

Per number

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\$3.00

# 2 <u>Service Description and Rates</u> (cont'd)

# 2.8 <u>Directory Listings</u>

### 2.8.1 <u>Description</u>

Directory listings will be provided in accordance with Section 1.5.2 of this tariff. The following types of listings are available:

- (i) Primary Listing. Provides the name of the Customer, or the name under which business is regularly conducted, as well as the address and telephone number of the Customer. Primary listings are provided at no charge.
- (ii) Additional Listings. Available only in the names of Authorized Users of the Customer's service, as defined herein.
- (iii) Non-published Listings. Non-published listings are not printed in directories nor are they available from directory assistance. Non-published listings are subject to the provisions set forth in Sections 1.2 and 1.5.2.
- (iv) Non-Listed Numbers. Non-listed numbers are those which provide for the omission or deletion of the Customer's listing from the telephone directory. Such listings are available from directory assistance.
- (v) Foreign Listings. A foreign listing is one that is published in a directory not in the Customer's immediate calling area.
- (vi) Extra Line Listings. Provides additional information after a main or additional listing, such as a fax number listed immediately below the main number.
- (vii) Cross Reference Listing. Provides a reference to another listing in the same directory, such as situations where the Customer is doing business under more than one name.

### 2.8.2 Rates

	Maximum	Maximum
	Nonrecurring Charge	Monthly Recurring Charge
Primary Listing	\$0.00	\$0.00
Additional	\$18.00	\$3.00
Non-Published	\$18.00	\$6.00 (I)
Non-Listed	\$18.00	\$5.00 (I)
Foreign	\$18.00	\$3.00
Extra Line	\$18.00	\$3.00
Cross Reference	\$18.00	\$3.00

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# 2 <u>Service Description and Rates</u> (cont'd)

### 2.12 Moves, Adds, and Changes Charge

Non-recurring charges as shown or discussed in Sections 2.3 through 2.7 may apply in the following situations:

- (i) the transfer of an existing service to a different location;
- (ii) a change in the class of service at the same or a different location;
- (iii) the conversion of an existing service from another certificated local exchange carrier at the same premises or location; or
- (iv) restoral of service after suspension or termination for nonpayment.

### 2.13 Service Restoration Charge

When service has been discontinued in accordance with Section 1.14.3, the following service restoration charge will apply:

\$30.00 per occurrence, Maximum

### 2.14 Service Change Charge

A change to a Customer account will incur the following non recurring charge:

\$60.00 per occurrence, Maximum

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### 2.15 Intercept Service

Intercept service will be placed on a line at the Customer's request redirecting calls to an alternate telephone number for sixty days.

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#### 2 Service Description and Rates (cont'd)

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#### 2.16 **Optional Features**

### 2.16.1 Vanity Number

Allows a Customer to request a specific number (e.g. 555-TOYS) if available. When the number is available a non-recurring charge applies per vanity number:

Maximum

Maximum

Nonrecurring Charge

Monthly Recurring Charge

\$200.00

\$10.00

### 2.16.2 Hunting

The hunting feature routes a call to an idle line in a prearranged group when the called telephone number is busy. Hunting does not work with Call Forward Busy and Don't Answer.

Maximum

Maximum

Nonrecurring Charge

Monthly Recurring Charge

Hunting

\$15.00

\$15.00

#### 2.17 Miscellaneous Charges

### 2.17.1 Service Expedite Charge

Vanity Number

A Customer may request to expedite a service installation to be undertaken on a reasonable effort basis at the request of, and upon a determination by the Company that such charges should apply in that particular instance then the Service Expedite Charge listed below applies.

Expedite Charge per DSI/ISDN PRI

Maximum \$1200.00

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#### 4 Price List

#### 4.1 Local Digital Service

	Monthly Recurring Charge	Nonrecurring Charge	(T)
Per channel	\$20.00	\$45.00	(T)
½ T1	\$240.00	\$540.00	(N)
T1	\$400.00	\$1,080.00	(N)
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#### 4.2 <u>ISDN-PRI</u>

Per D Channel:

Nonrecurring Charge \$2,500.00 Monthly Recurring Charge \$100.00

#### 4.3 Foreign Exchange Service

Monthly Recurring Charge per T-1 equipped with FX:

\$100.00

#### 4.4 **DID Numbers**

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Per number

Monthly Recurring Charge \$0.80

Nonrecurring Charge \$0.00

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# 4 Price List (cont'd)

# 4.5 <u>Directory Listings</u>

	Nonrecurring	Monthly Recurring
	<u>Charge</u>	Charge
Primary Listing	\$0.00	\$0.00
Additional	\$8.75	\$1.15 (I)
Non-Published	\$8.75	\$4.00 (I)
Non-Listed	\$8.75	\$2.20 (I)
Foreign	\$8.75	\$1.15 (I)
Extra Line	\$8.75	\$1.15 (I)
Cross Reference	\$8.75	\$1.15 (I)

# 4.6 <u>Directory Assistance</u>

A Direct Dialed Directory Assistance:

\$1.25 per call

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B Directory Assistance Call Completion:

\$0.75 per call

**(I)** 

C Special Directory Assistance

Third Number or Special Billing Direct Dialed or Operator Handled

\$2.70 per call \$1.60 per call

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# 4. <u>Price List</u> (cont'd)

# 4.7 <u>Operator Services</u>

	Surcharge	Per Minute Charge
Third Party Billing	\$0.70	\$0.20
Collect	\$0.70	\$0.20
Person to Person	\$1.70	\$0.20
Station to Station	\$0.70	\$0.20
Busy Line Verification	\$2.00 (I)	
Busy Line Verification w/ Interrupt	\$4.00 (I)	
Busy Line Verification Third Party or	\$2.00	
Special Billed		

# 4.8 <u>Presubscription</u>

Intra and/or interLATA carrier change:

\$10.00 per line, per occurrence

# 4.9 Moves, Adds, and Changes Charge

Non-recurring charges as shown in Sections 4.1 through 4.5 may apply.

# 4.10 Service Restoration Charge

\$15.00 per occurrence

# 4.11 Service Change Charge

\$40.00 per occurrence

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### 4.12 <u>Intercept Service</u>

No charge

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4.	Price	<u>List</u> (cont'd)			
	4.14	Optional Features			
		Vanity Number			
		Vanity Number <u>Hunting</u>	Nonrecurring Charge \$100.00	Monthly Recurring Charge \$0.00	
	4.15	Hunting  Miscellaneous Charges	Nonrecurring Charge \$0.00	Monthly Recurring Charge \$0.00	
	4.13	4.15.1 Service Expedite Charge			     
		Expedite Charge per DS	I/ISDN PRI	\$600.00	(N)